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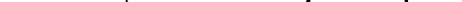
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Application Number	09/988,899
Filing Date	November 19, 2001
First Named Inventor	Hendricus R.J.M. Hoogenboom
Art Unit	1639
Examiner Name	Padmashri Ponnaluri
Attorney Docket Number	DX/003 CON

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

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Name (Print/Type)	James F. Haley, Jr.	Registration No.	27,794

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Fee Transmittal for FY 2005

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$395.00)

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
0	- 20 or HP = 0	x 25	= 0		50	25

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
0	- 3 or HP = 0	x 100	= 0		180	0

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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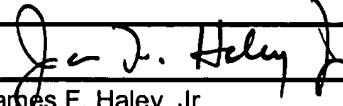
4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): RCE required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e)

395.00

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